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The Daily Republican.

HAMMER & MOSSER,
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Thursday, Evening April 22.

An examination into the history of the bills introduced and passed during the recent session of the Legislature shows the following curious result: Of the 86 bills which became law, besides more appropriation bills and those introduced from Standing Committees, 25 were introduced by Republicans and 24 by Democrats and Independents. In the House, Republicans introduced 17 of the successful bills, while Democrats and Independents introduced 11, in the Senate the Republicans introduced 8, and the Democrats and Independents 13. From the above it will be seen who have been most active in the successful legislation of the last session.

The bill withdrawing State endowments from all priests and bishops in Prussia who refuse to engage themselves to obey the law, has finally passed both Houses of the Prussian Legislature, and has been signed by the Emperor. The amount thus taken from the revenues of the church is about \$1,000,000 a year—no trifling matter, when combined with the transfer of the administration of all ecclesiastical revenues to lay hands. This is a sort of "disestablishment" measure, which, of course, will affect the Catholics more seriously than any other class, as it is at a time when that it is especially aimed, though the law is quite applicable to all denominations that draw upon the government for any portion of their support.

The New York *Herald* made a striking and appropriate feature of its issue of Monday last—the centennial anniversary of the battles of Lexington and Concord—in the presentation of fac-similes of the accounts of the battles of Lexington and Concord, taken from the Massachusetts *Argus*, published at Worcester, May 3d, 1775, and the *Essay Gazette*, published at Salem, April 25th, 1775. They furnish an illustration of the character of journalism in this country one hundred years ago, as well as an interesting indication of what was then thought of the conflict just commencing between the Colonists and the Mother Country.

JUN 80.

During the session of the Legislature in this State, a great show was made of sifting out fraud and peculation, and a number of investigating committees were appointed. Has anybody heard of any reports having been made that justify the belief that there was any fraud in the management of public institutions? It is true that an attempt was made to throw discredit upon the penitentiary, but all the irregularities discovered there had been discovered long before by the State officers and those responsible for them had long since been removed. The fact is, by the appointment of many investigating committees and the failure to make any discoveries of fraud, the opposition to the Republican party have furnished the best possible evidence that the management of that party has been all that could be desired and given the lie to all their own vile protestations that there was something "rotten in Denmark."

Five per cent of the female population of Belgium is engaged in lace-making, little girls being apprenticed to the art at an early age as five, and often carrying their own living thereby. About \$10 an inch paid for raw Valenciennes, though the artist working 12 hours a day can produce but one-third of an inch in a week. The best Brussels thread is spun in underground cells, because dry air causes the thread to snap, and the worker has but a single ray of light to guide his hand.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—The question of the Attorney General's resignation has ceased to be a matter of rumor, and is now a certainty. Before the President left the matter was settled, and Mr. Williams will probably present a formal resignation to-morrow. The understanding about the Department of Justice is that Edward Pierpont, of New York, is most likely to succeed Mr. Williams. Friends of the latter say that he has, on several occasions during two months past, indicated to the President his desire to return to the practice of his profession, and that his retirement is altogether voluntary.

All efforts to reach the President to-night in regard to the matter relating to Mr. Delano proved futile. To those friends of the Secretary who became acquainted with the facts before it was supposed they could in any way leak out for publication, the details thus far made are either based on ignorance or quibbles. Nothing has occurred to call for any correction in the facts herebefore stated in these dispatches. Mr. Delano has not yet returned to the city, and final action in the case may be delayed for several days.

A number of friends of Gen. Cowan have been aware a number of days that the question of successor to Mr. Delano has been a matter of active consideration by the President.

From Warren & Durfee's Advertiser.
REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
For the Month Ending April
15, 1875.

Jesus O. Henry to Martin V. Henry, part lot 2, Wm. Martin's addition of lots 4-500. James G. Campbell to S. T. Keefer, part lot 5, block 7, Weston Add.—\$1,950. Eugene W. Repshaw to Wm. F. Taggart, part cast half ne gr sec 17, town 16, range 2 east, and part se gr sec 17, tp 16, range 2 east.—\$600.

Francis J. Taylor to Robert R. Montgomery, lot 10, block 1, J. F. Montgomery's addition—\$1,900.

Francis M. Wood to Sam'l W. Whittlesey, west half ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 3 east.—\$1,900.

S. W. Whittlesey to Geo. W. Godford, ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 3 east.—\$225.

Ed P. Kest to Theodore W. Deal, part lot 5, Crocker's addition to Marcy—\$1,900.

Hiram Marian to Elijah Bundy, ten acres, in nw gr sec 18, tp 16, range 3 east.—\$225.

John H. Myers to Newton B. Burnham, lot 5, block 1, "Boggs' Add."—\$400.

Amelia Burnham to John H. Myers, lot 5, block 1, "Boggs' Add."—\$400.

Orlando Powers to Geo. W. Elmer, 10 acres, in nw gr sec 6, tp 16, range 2 east.—\$1,900.

John H. Pather to Bettie Prather, lot 7, block 8, Pather, Martin & Galing's addition—\$2,000.

W. W. Mason to Alheit G. Barnes, east hf lot 7, block 3, original town of Decatur—\$425.

Henry F. May to Silas Overmyer, lots 1 and 2, Southwestern addition—\$2,000.

Abraham Ping to Joseph Stouts, ne gr sec 16, tp 16, range 4 east.—\$1,900.

John Clegg to Wm. W. Deal, 99 feet off the south end of lots 18 and 19 of Crocker's addition to Marion—\$1,900.

Andrew Wood to Jefferson G. Willard, west half ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 1 east.—\$400.

James C. Luke to David Frank, west half ne gr sec 18, tp 17, range 4 east—\$200.

Henry Grady to Brigham Jamison, lot 6, block 2, rolling mill addition—\$450.

John A. Hood to John and Nancy Orr, part lot 6, Crocker's addition to Marion—\$2,200.

Job Ruby to George Stoy, lot 1, J. William's addition—\$900.

James H. Sibley to Albert W. Dillick, av gr section 23, town 17, range 1 east—\$200.

John T. Henck to Thos. Cooper, lot 8, block 2, rolling mill addition—\$450.

James Givens to Peter Blagke, lot 11, block 4, Marca—\$1,200.

Kate R. and George Bruce to Wm. R. Whittaker, lots 15 and 16, railroad addition to Marion—\$1,500.

Henry Groff to John L. Frantz, se gr sec 18, tp 16, range 4 east—\$400.

John Clegg to Enoch B. Burton—\$400.

John Clegg to John B. Tyler, north half ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 4 east—\$400.

John Hammill to Patrick Clark, north half south half east half ne gr sec 18, and 5 acres off south end east half ne gr sec 8, tp 16, range 2 east—\$400.

John Hammill to Samuel Rea, 11 acres, in sec 19, tp 17, range 4 east—\$400.

Ed B. Eckols to Burton S. Tyler, north half ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 4 east—\$400.

Robert B. Moore to John H. Nichols, lot 4, block 1, Southwestern addition—\$400.

John Hammill to Patrick Clark, north half south half east half ne gr sec 18, and 5 acres off south end east half ne gr sec 8, tp 16, range 2 east—\$400.

John Hammill to John L. Frantz, se gr sec 18, tp 17, range 4 east—\$400.

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John Hammill to John B. Tyler, north half ne gr sec 18, tp 16, range 4 east—\$400.

John Hammill to Michael Gray, 48 ft on north end lots 12 and 13, Crocker's addition to Marion—\$100.

Master in Chancery to Samuel Tibbotts, lots 3 and 4, block 4, 8, Prather, Martin & Galing's addition—\$17,047.73.

Robert B. Moore to John H. Nichols, lot 4, block 1, Southwestern addition—\$400.

John Hammill to Patrick Clark, north half south half east half ne gr sec 18, and 5 acres off south end east half ne gr sec 8, tp 16, range 2 east—\$400.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Thursday Evening, April 22.

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Local Notices will be inserted at Two Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY HERALD will be inserted every Saturday, at the price of Two Cents per day, when the paper is delivered, and otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the earlier at what particular place they desire their papers to be sent.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Pronounce: Bo-see-kae-a-seatch-ee-a.
Now show-cases, for sale at Sloy & Bishop's.

A new cattle-guard has been constructed at the depot.

Clean out back alleys of their filth, and a source of disease will be removed.

Try the "Vanity Fair" smoking toacco at Kepler's.

Mr. A. Culp is putting up a fine portico in front of his residence on West Main street.

A full line of Dress Goods, just received at S. Einstein's. 19-dwt.

Mr. Real Sawyer has had his dwelling, on the corner of Franklin and Wood streets, repainted and improved.

Beautiful chromos, with or without frames, at L. J. Davis & Co.'s.

The lots in front of nearly all the fine residences in Decatur are being sold this spring.

Newell & Hammer have all the best brands of tea and coffee.

J. Cully Blain is a first-class sign-writer, as the numerous signs he has lately painted for the Sun office will bear witness.

A choice lot of salted and pickled fish, just received by D. M. Burnett & Co.

Driving is the popular amusement at present with all who are able to indulge in it. Good roads, pleasant weather, etc., all combine to give driving more than its usual enjoyment.

Mosity, gloves, trimming, ribbons, jewelry, and all kinds of notions and fancy goods cheaper at Goldburg's than any place in the city. 19-dwt.

It is now certain that the rolling mill will be removed from Decatur inside of three months. Its point of destination is not definitely known except to the stockholders.

Calls made at any hour of day or night by the St. Nicholas bus.

Gentlemen who practice the healing art seem to think Decatur a good field for operations. Several new physician's offices have been opened within the last six months.

Go to Niedermeyer's for choice sugars and syrups.

Elliott & Anderson are fixing up goods in their new store on Water street, and will be prepared to receive customers in a few days.

During the illness of Miss French, one of the teachers at the high school, her class in algebra was taught by Master Walden Colvin, who managed the scholars and conducted the lessons as well as the teacher herself.

Farmers are again putting their hands to the plow, and are preparing their grounds for the corn crop, remunerating the scripture admonition, "The sluggard will not plow by reason of the cold shall bog in harvest and have nothing."

J. P. Marsh is still at the head of his class as a maker of fine boots. He warrants perfect fits for all measures taken by him. Ready-made goods always on hand.

Col. E. D. Carter has recently laid down some beautiful patterns of carpets in his residence on Prairie street.—

The goods were bought of Abel & Loko, and are in every respect superb. And while speaking of Abel & Locke we will say that they have just received a large invoice of beautiful lace curtains, which they are selling very cheap. This enterprising firm now occupies the third story of their stone building with an extensive wholesale stock.

Don't take down that sitting-room stove yet. There will be mornings and evenings that you will see the need of it, and by laying it to warm the room, may save yourself or some member of your family a spell of sickness. Many people are in two great a hurry to do away with the heating stoves as soon as we have a few days of spring-like weather, and as a consequence, more or less sickness in the family is the result.

A young man from the country, by the name of Miles, fell off from his horse on West Main street this morning in a fit. The fall was a severe one and knocked the breath from his body. His face blackened, and blood rushed from his mouth and nose for a few moments. He was afterwards raised and revived considerably, but could not speak for a long time. With the exception of his comrade, who was riding beside him, all who saw him felt thought he had died of some heart disease. He was offered a stimulant, which he drank, and felt much better thereafter. Quite a crowd assembled around him as soon as he began to revive, and had to be forced back occasionally to give him sufficient air.

Fresh Butter, at Shorb & Montgomery's.

Males for Sale.—Any persons wishing to buy nice three and four years old mules, will consult their interest by calling at the Livery Stable of Caldwell Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur, Ill., at 100, 75-dwt.

To Rent.—A story and-a-half house, situated on South Macou street, having nine rooms, with bath room, gas and good hard and soft water. Everything in good repair. Possession given May 15th. Apply at 19 South Macou street, or at this office. 15-dwt.

SPORTING NEWS.

Town Turf Topic.

Decatur has a considerable number of thoroughbred race horses which are to be put on the track this summer. Leading all the horses in the city, perhaps, is a filly belonging to S. Powers, about 3 years of age. This animal is one of Billie's colts, is well built, and has a very easy motion. She makes long reaches, and gathers herself quickly. These and other qualities, indicative of speed and endurance, are strongly marked in her. She will probably make a noted running horse, as nearly all the colts of Billie's are.

The filly is now in training under a Mr. Meeker, a noted horseman, who resides 7 or 8 miles north of this city. She will be ready for the track this summer.

A. Blenc's running horse, "Butcher Boy," will not be put upon the track this season. This horse has made the excellent time of 1:54, and his withdrawal from the races will give a good chance for winning to many of the horses over which he has triumphed for two or three years.

Geo. L Higgins' black trotting stallion, "Danville Boy," and Culp's gray "Monarch," both horses of some note, will be put on the track this season.—

The former has made a mile in 9:33, while the latter's best record is about 3:40. In a race between these two trotters last summer "Danville Boy" came off the winner.

Fresh Lemons, Oranges, Figs, Dates, and rich Bananas, just received at 21-dwt.

Attempt to Outrage a Widow.—A couple of rowdies, who were pretty well intoxicated, accosted Mrs. Reinen, a widow lady, last night, and made improper advances towards her. She rebuked them repeatedly, but they continued their improper solicitations without heedling her cries. At last they finished their nameless conduct by attempting to outrage her. She resisted them violently, and finally her cries brought the police to her assistance, and the drunken pair were hustled off to the calaboose in double-quick time.

If you want a genuine Alexander Kid Glove, call at S. Einstein's.

19-dwt.

Masonic.—There will be a special meeting of Beaumont Commandery, No. 9, K. T., at their Asylum, on Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, sharp, for work on K. T. Degree. By order of A. A. MURRAY, E. C.

Attention, Rescu Hose Co. No. 1.—There will be a meeting at 6:30 o'clock this (Thursday) evening, for practice.

Every member is hereby required to respond to the above call. By order of W. W. FOSTER, Foreman.

The Citizen's Association has procured 10,000 sheets of note paper with lithograph railroad map of Decatur on the back. The Secretary of the association, B. K. Durfee, will supply our business men and others in quantities to suit, on application. For letter heads and advertising on our city, this should be used by all our citizens.

Fresh Lettuce, at Shorb & Montgomery's.

National Poultry Association.—We have received from Mr. L. J. Halsted a copy of the April number of the American Saison and Poultry Journal, published at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. It contains an account of a meeting in Chicago at which the "National Poultry Association" was organized. Edward L. Lamb, Esq., of Chicago, was chosen President of the Association, and Charles P. Willard, of the same place, Secretary.—

There is nothing more thoroughly American than "The Virginian." Hockley's has been crowded with weeping auditors since the first night of its production, and every one agrees that it is the best work of its popular author.

A New Boarding House.—Under the head of new advertisements will be found the card of the "Farmers Home," kept by Mr. Drolin, in his new building on the west side of the old square. This is a very desirable location, and the building being new, everything will be found sweet and clean.

Spring Cabbage, received daily, at Imboden & Co.'s.

The Found at present contains two cows, one horse and a lot of hogs. Duvenport, on his fiery course, assures the township far and near, and drives to the pound all stock which he finds running at large. Until the people become alarmed and are careful to keep their stock at home, this officer will have plenty to do. In a month or two the poundmaster will have nothing to do, and the pound will again be pronounced a "useless expense."

A Large Lot of White Goods, consisting of muslin suits, jacquets, victory lawns, and Paris lawns, just received at 19-dwt.

Those Gentile Shoes on sale at V. Barber & Co.'s are having an immense run with the ladies. They have also all the latest styles of goods for men's wear direct from the best factories in the country. Persons examining their stock cannot fail to find what they want. Prices are always at hard-pant figures.

A Card.—We wish to say to the public that we keep constantly on hand a full supply and great variety of Thresses, Bandages, Supports, &c., &c. We have the Jones Radical-Cure Thress, Common Sense Thress, Regular Army Ivory Pad Thress, &c., &c.

CHENOWETH, WALSTON & CO.
Montgomery, Ill.

Scarcity of Fruit Trees.—We learn that the demand for fruit trees for spring setting far exceeds the supply so far as nurseries in this part of the country are concerned. This being the case, it would probably pay our nurserymen well to enlarge their operations and increase their stock for another year.—

Nothing is more certain than that there will be a constantly increasing demand for fruit and shade trees in this county for several years to come.

Ladies wishing to buy underwear will do well to call on Goldburg.

19-dwt.

For Sale.—The undersigned offers for sale the following valuable business property. A brick block, consisting of two good stores, with tenement rooms overhead; also, two frame buildings, well suited to business. The above property is situated on the corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets, near the crossing of the T. W. & W. R. R., and is one of the best business points in the city. J. G. Sura, At the grocery store of Sher & Fletcher, opera block. 14-dwt.

Last—Yesterday, between 12 and 1 o'clock, somewhere between my residence and the office of Warren & Durfee, a lady's gold bracelet, in the shape of a sea-shell. The pin was enclosed in a small white box. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at the REPUBLICAN office. J. G. FRITH.

How to make a clean sweep—Give him a good washing.

"Love," says George Sand, "is an internal transport"—the precise definition of a canal-boat.

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I. O. O. F. EXCURSION.

Decatur Lodge No. 65, and Celestial Lodge No. 168, have resolved to take part in the anniversary celebration at Paris, Monday, April 26th. All members and friends of the order are invited to go. Tickets for the round trip, \$1.75, to be procured by the committee.

The two Lodges will hold a joint meeting on Friday evening, to perfect arrangements.

G. W. PATTERSON, N. G., 186.
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WELLS
SIGILLAN
HAIR
RENEWER**

This standard article is com-

posed with the greatest care,

is of the greatest value,

restores gray and faded hair to

its youthful color.

It removes all eruptions, itching

and dandruff. It gives the head a

cooling, soothing sensation of great

comfort, and the scalp by its use

becomes white and clean.

By its tonic properties it restores

the capillary glands to their normal

action, preventing baldness, and mak-

ing the hair grow thick and strong.

A dressing; nothing has been

found so effectual or desirable.

A. A. Hayes, M. D., State As-

sayer of Massachusetts, says, "The

constituents are pure, and carefully

selected for excellent quality; and

I consider it the best preparation

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Price, One Dollar.

Buckingham's Dye

FOR THE WHISKERS.

This elegant preparation may be

relied on to change the color of

the beard from gray or any other un-

desirable shade, to brown or black,

at this region.

It is easily applied, and quick-

ly and effectively produces a per-

manent color, which will neither

rub nor wash off.

Manufactured by R. P. HALL & CO.,

NASHUA, N. H.

Sold by all Druggists in Boston.

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For six years, \$22.00 postage free.

For seven years, \$24.00 postage free.

For eight years, \$26.00 postage free.

For nine years, \$28.00 postage free.

For ten years, \$30.00 postage free.

For eleven years, \$32.00 postage free.

For twelve years, \$34.00 postage free.

For thirteen years, \$36.00 postage free.

For fourteen years, \$38.00 postage free.

For fifteen years, \$40.00 postage free.

For sixteen years, \$42.00 postage free.

For seventeen years, \$44.00 postage free.

For eighteen years, \$46.00 postage free.

For nineteen years, \$48.00 postage free.

For twenty years, \$50.00 postage free.

For twenty-one years, \$52.00 postage free.

For twenty-two years, \$54.00 postage free.

For twenty-three years, \$56.00 postage free.

For twenty-four years, \$58.00 postage free.

For twenty-five years, \$60.00 postage free.

For twenty-six years, \$62.00 postage free.

For twenty-seven years, \$64.00 postage free.

For twenty-eight years, \$66.00 postage free.

For twenty-nine years, \$68.00 postage free.

For thirty years, \$70.00 postage free.

For thirty-one years, \$72.00 postage free.

For thirty-two years, \$74.00 postage free.

For thirty-three years, \$76.00 postage free.

For thirty-four years, \$78.00 postage free.

For thirty-five years, \$80.00 postage free.

For thirty-six years, \$82.00 postage free.

For thirty-seven years, \$84.00 postage free.

For thirty-eight years, \$86.00 postage free.

For thirty-nine years, \$88.00 postage free.

For forty years, \$90.00 postage free.

For forty-one years, \$92.00 postage free.

For forty-two years, \$94.00 postage free.

For forty-three years, \$96.00 postage free.

For forty-four years, \$98.00 postage free.

For forty-five years, \$100.00 postage free.

For forty-six years, \$102.00 postage free.

For forty-seven years, \$104.00 postage free.

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For sixty-five years, \$140.00 postage free.

For sixty-six years, \$142.00 postage free.

For sixty-seven years, \$144.00 postage free.

For sixty-eight years, \$146.00 postage free.

For sixty-nine years, \$148.00 postage free.

For七十 years, \$150.00 postage free.

For seventy-one years, \$152.00 postage free.

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For seventy-five years, \$160.00 postage free.

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For seventy-seven years, \$164.00 postage free.

For seventy-eight years, \$166.00 postage free.

For seventy-nine years, \$168.00 postage free.

For eighty years, \$170.00 postage free.

For eighty-one years, \$172.00 postage free.

For eighty-two years, \$174.00 postage free.

For eighty-three years, \$176.00 postage free.

For eighty-four years, \$178.00 postage free.

For eighty-five years, \$180.00 postage free.

For eighty-six years, \$182.00 postage free.

For eighty-seven years, \$184.00 postage free.

For eighty-eight years, \$186.00 postage free.

For eighty-nine years, \$188.00 postage free.

For ninety years, \$190.00 postage free.

For ninety-one years, \$192.00 postage free.

For ninety-two years, \$194.00 postage free.

For ninety-three years, \$196.00 postage free.

For ninety-four years, \$198.00 postage free.

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Hair Vigor,
For restoring to Gray Hair its
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A dressing
which is at
once agreeable,
healthy, and
effectual for
preserving the
hair. It soon
restores faded
or gray hair to
its original
color, with the
gloss and freshness of youth. Thin
hair is thickened, falling hair checked,
and baldness often, though not always,
cured by its use. Nothing can restore
the hair where the follicles are de-
stroyed, or the glands atrophied and
decayed; but such as remain can be
saved by this application, and stim-
ulated into activity, so that a new
growth of hair is produced. Instead
of fouling the hair with a pasty sedi-
ment, it will keep it clean and vigorous.
Its occasional use will prevent the hair
from turning gray or falling off, and
consequently prevent baldness. The
restoration of vitality it gives to the
scalp arrests and prevents the forma-
tion of dandruff, which is often so un-
cleanly and offensive. Free from those
delatorious substances which make
some preparations dangerous and inju-
rious to the hair, the Vigor can only
benefit but not harm it. It wanted
merely for a HAIR DRESSING,
nothing else can be found so desirable.
Containing neither oil nor dye, it does
not soil white cambric, and yet lasts
long on the hair, giving it a rich, glossy
lustre, and a grateful perfume.

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positive position, and expresses
declined views, political, and social prob-
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der the name of GILL & WEDELL, will
dissolve on the first day of May, 1875.
M. Gill retiring from the firm. All those
indebted to the firm will please call at
our office and settle their claims at once.

L. W. GILL,
F. WEDDELL.

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NO. 19

I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 17, '75,
trains will depart from and arrive at
Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Pasenger..... 1:50 p.m.
Freight and Accommodation..... 7:10 a.m.

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Pasenger..... 11:30 a.m.
Freight and Accommodation..... 5:15 p.m.

H. C. MOORE,
Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.

C. V. LEWIS,
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The Daily Republican.

HAMHER & MOSEY,
Publishers.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Thursday, Evening April 22.

An examination into the history of the bills introduced and passed during the recent session of the Legislature shows the following curious result: Of the 86 bills which became laws, besides more appropriation bills and those introduced from Standing Committees, 25 were introduced by Republicans and 24 by Democrats and Independents. In the House, Republicans introduced 17 of the successful bills, while Democrats and Independents introduced 11; in the Senate the Republicans introduced 8, and the Democrats and Independents 13. From the above it will be seen who have been most active in the successful legislation of the last session.

Titz bill withdrawing State endowments from all priests and bishops in Prussia who refuse to engage themselves to obey the law, has finally passed both Houses of the Prussian Landtag, and has been signed by the Emperor. The amount thus taken from the revenues of the church is about \$1,000,000 a year—a paltry matter, when combined with the transfer of the administration of all ecclesiastical revenue to lay hands. This is a sort of "disestablishment" measure, which, of course, will affect the Catholics more sensibly than any other class, as it is against them that it is especially aimed, though the law is quite applicable to all denominations that draw upon the government for any portion of their support.

The New York *Herald* made a striking and appropriate feature of its issue of Monday last—the centennial anniversary of the battles of Lexington and Concord—in the presentation of fac-similes of the accounts of the battles of Lexington and Concord, taken from the Massachusetts *Sig*, published at Worcester, May 3d, 1775, and the Essex *Gazette*, published at Salem, April 29th, 1775. They furnish an illustration of the character of journalism in this country one hundred years ago, as well as an interesting indication of what was then thought of the conflict just commencing between the Colonists and the Mother Country.

JUST SO.

During the session of the Legislature in this State, a great show was made of ferreting out fraud and peculation, and a number of investigating committees were appointed. Has anybody heard of any reports having been made that justifies the belief that there was any fraud in the management of public institutions? It is true that an attempt was made to throw discredit upon the penitentiary, but all the irregularities discovered there had been discovered long before by the State officers and those responsible for them had long since been removed. The fact is, by the appointment of so many investigating committees and the failure to make any discoveries of fraud, the opposition to the Republican party have furnished the best possible evidence that the management of that party has been all that could be desired and given the lie to all their own vile protestations that there was something rotten in Denmark."

Five per cent of the female population of Belgium is engaged in lace making, little girls being apprised to the art at as early an age as five, and often earning their own living therewith. About \$10 an inch is paid for real Valenciennes, though the artist working 12 hours a day can produce but one-third of an inch in a week. The best Brussels thread is spun in underground cells, because dry air causes the thread to snap, and the worker has but a single ray of light to guide his hand.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.—The question of the Attorney General's resignation has caused to be a matter of rumor, and is now a certainty. Before the President left the matter was settled, and Mr. Williams will probably present a formal resignation to-morrow. The understanding about the Department of Justice is that Edward Pierpont, of New York, is most likely to succeed Mr. Williams. Friends of the latter say that he has, on several occasions during two months past, indicated to the President his desire to return to the practice of his profession, and that his retirement is altogether voluntary.

All efforts to reach the President tonight in regard to the matter relating to Mr. Dolano proved futile. To those friends of the Secretary who became acquainted with the facts before it was supposed they could in any way leak out for publication, the denials thus far made are either based on ignorance or quibbles. Noting has occurred to call for any correction in the facts heretofore stated in these dispatches. Mr. Dolano has not yet returned to the city, and final action in the case may be delayed for several days.

A number of friends of Gen. Cowan have been aware a number of days that the question of successor to Mr. Dolano has been a matter of active consideration by the President.

From Warren & Durfee's Advertiser.
REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

For the Month Ending April
15, 1875.

Jesse C. Henry to Martin V. Henry, part lot 2, Wm. Martin's addition of lots—\$500.
James C. Campbell to S. T. Keeler, part lot 5, block 7, Western Add.—\$150.
Eugene W. Renshaw to Wm. F. Taggart, part east half ne qr sec 17, town 16, range 2 east and part se qr sec 17, tp 16, range 2 east—\$600.

Francis J. Taylor to Robert R. Montgomery, lot 10, block 1, J. F. Montgomery's addition—\$1000.

Frederick Wood to Sam'l W. Whiteside, west half nw qr sec 21, tp 16, range 1 west—\$1500.

S. W. Whitefield to Geo. W. Gepford, no qr sw qr sec 11, tp 16, range 1 west—\$2000.

Eli P. Kent to Theodore W. Deal, part lot 5, Crocker's addition to Maroa—\$1500.
Hiram Marston to Elijah Bundy, ten acres, in nw qr sec 30, tp 16, range 2 east—\$250.

Thomas D. Jones to Ira Harris, Jr., lot 15, block 2, rolling mill Add.—\$250.
John H. Myers to Newton B. Burnham, lot 5, block 1, Boggs' Add.—\$400.

John H. Myers to Mrs. Amelia Burcham, lot 4, block 1, Boggs' Add.—\$400.

Orlando Powers to Geo. W. Hiser, 10 acres in se qr sec 6, tp 16, range 2 east—\$1500.

Wm. H. Prather to Bettie Prather, lot 1, block 2, Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition—\$2000.

W. W. Mason to Albert G. Barnes, east half lot 7, block 3, original town of Decatur—\$425.

Henry Grady to Silas Overmyer, lots 1 and 2, Southwestern addition—\$800.

Abraham Kling to Joseph Stocks, ne qr sec 16, tp 15, range 4 east—\$1200.

John Crocker to Theodore W. Deal, 80 feet on the south end of lots 12 and 13 of Crocker's addition to Maron—\$1200.

Andrew Wood to Jefferson G. Wilhards, west half no qr sec 16, tp 16, range 1 east—\$400.

James C. Lake to David Frantz, west half no qr sec 16, tp 17, range 4 east—\$600.

Henry Grady to Bertram Jameson, lot 6, block 2, Marion—\$100.

Jacob A. Hood to John and Nancy Orr, part lot 5, Crocker's addition to Maroa—\$2500.

Jacob Ruby to George Stoy, lot 1, J. William's addition—\$900.

James H. Venable to Albert Widick, sw section 23, town 17, range 1 east—\$500.

Henry Grady to John L. Frantz, se qr sw qr sec 16, tp 16, range 4 east—\$711.66.

Thos. H. Houck to Thos Cooper, lot 3, block 2, rolling mill addition—\$450.

James Graves to Peter Shagle, lot 11, block 7, Marion—\$1200.

Kate R. and George Bruce to Wm. R. Wilson, lots 15 and 16, railroad addition to Maroa—\$1200.

Henry Grady to John L. Frantz, se qr sw qr sec 16, tp 16, range 4 east—\$600.

John H. Myers to Wm. Kipp, lot 12, block 1, Southwestern addition—\$400.

John Hummel to Patrick Clark, north half south half east half no qr sec 16, tp 16, range 4 east—\$1200.

John W. Johnson to Samuel Rea, 11 acres, in sec 19, tp 17, range 4 east—\$400.

Ed. B. Eicholtz to Burton S. Tyler, north half sw qr sec 19, tp 16, range 4 east, and ne qr se qr sec 24, tp 16, range 3 east—\$4700.

Mary and Archibald Thomson to Jos. M. Cooper, west half sw qr sec 16, no qr sw qr sec 27, tp 16, range 2 east—\$225.

John Crocker to Michael Grady, 48 ft off, se qr sec 12 and 13, Crocker's addition to Maroa—\$1200.

Master in Chancery to Samuel Tibbetts, lots 3 and 4, block 8, Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition—\$1704.73.

Robert Blue to John N. Bills, lot 4, nw qr nw qr sec 23, tp 16, range 3 east—\$400.

Alfred Tilton to Milton B. Thomas, 23 acres, in se qr sec 25, tp 16, range 1 east—\$1200.

S. G. Malone to Early Kinsey, west half no qr sec 27, tp 16, range 2 east—\$225.

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We would be much obliged if our sub-
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be sent.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Pronounce: Be-a-seek-a-see-a-hitch-o.
Now show-cases, for sale at Stoy &
Bishop's.

A new cattle-guard has been con-
structed at the depot.

Clean out back alleys of their filth,
and a source of disease will be removed.

Try the "Vanity Fair" smoking to
lacco at Keplers.

Mr. A. Culp is putting up a fine por-
tico in front of his residence on West
Main street.

A full line of Dress Goods, just re-
ceived at S. Einstein's. 19-dw

Mr. Benj. Sawyer has had his dwel-
ling, on the corner of Franklin and
Wood streets, repainted and improved.

Beautiful chromos, with or without
frames, at L. J. Davis & Co.'s.

The lots in front of nearly all the
fine residences in Decatur are being
sodded this spring.

Newell & Hammer have all the
best brands of tea and coffee.

J. Cilly Blain is a first-class sign-
writer, as the numerous signs he has
lately painted for the Sun office will bear
witness.

A choice lot of salted and pickled
fish, just received by D. M. Barnett &
Co.

Driving is the popular amusement
at present with all who are able to in-
dulge in it. Good roads, pleasant
weather, etc., all combine to give driv-
ing more than its usual enjoyment.

Hosiery, gloves, trinkets, ribbons,
jewelry, and all kinds of notions and
hancy goods cheaper at Goldburg's than
any place in the city. 19-dw

Masonic.—There will be a special
meeting of Beaumarion Commandery,
No. 9, K. T., at their Asylum, on Thurs-
day evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for
work on K. T. Degree. By order of
A. A. Murray, E. C.

Calls made at any hour of day or
night by the St. Nicholas bus.

Gentlemen who practice the healing
art seem to think Decatur a good field
for operations. Several new physician's
offices have been opened within the last
six months.

Go to Niedermeyer's for choice
sugars and syrups.

Elliott & Anderton are fixing up
goods in their new store on Water street,
and will be prepared to receive custom-
ers in a few days.

During the illness of Miss French,
one of the teachers at the high school,
her class in algebra was taught by Master
Weldon Coltrin, who managed the schol-
ars and conducted the lessons as
well as the teacher herself.

Farmers are again putting their
hands to the plow, and are preparing
their grounds for the corn crop, remem-
bering the scripture admonition, "The
sluggard that will not plow by reason of
the cold shall beg in harvest and have
nothing."

J. P. Marsh is still at the head of his
class as a maker of fine boots. He war-
rants perfect fits for all measures taken
by him. Ready-made goods always on
hand.

Col. E. D. Carter has recently laid
down some beautiful patterns of car-
pets in his residence on Prairie street.—
The goods were bought of Abel &
Locke, and are in every respect super-
ior. And while speaking of Abel & Locke we
will say that they have just received a
large invoice of beautiful lace curtains,
which they are selling very cheap. This
enterprising firm now occupies the third
story of their store building with an ex-
clusive wholesale stock.

Don't take down that sitting-room
stove yet. There will be mornings and
evenings that you will see the need of it,
and by having it to warm the room,
may save yourself or some member of
your family a spell of sickness. Many
people are in two great hurry to do
away with the heating stoves as soon as
we have a few days of spring-like
weather, and as a consequence, more or
less sickness the family is the result.

A young man from the country, by
the name of Miles, fell off from his horse
on West Main street this morning in a
fit. The fall was a severe one and
knocked the breath from his body. His
face blackened, and blood rushed from
his mouth and nose for a few moments.
He was afterwards raised and revived
considerably, but could not speak for a
long time. With the exception of his
comrade, who was riding beside him, all
who saw him fall thought he had died
of some heart disease. He was offered
a stimulant, which he drank, and felt
much better thereafter. Quite a crowd
assembled around him as soon as he be-
gan to revive, and had to be forced back
occasionally to give him sufficient air.

Fresh Butter, at Shorb & Montgom-
ery's.

For Sale.—The undersigned offers
for sale the following valuable business
property. A brick block, consisting of
two good stores, with tenement rooms
overhead; also, two frame buildings,
well suited to business. The above
property is situated on the corner of
North Water and Corro Gordo streets,
near the crossing of the T. W. & W.
R. R., and is one of the best business
points in the city. J. G. SHEA,
At the grocery store of Shea & Fletcher,
open block. [15-dw]

Lost.—Yesterday, between 12 and 1
o'clock, somewhere between my resi-
dence and the office of Warren & Dur-
fee, a lady's gold breastpin, in the shape of
a sea-shell. The pin was inclosed in a
small white box. The finder will be
suitably rewarded by leaving it at the
REPUBLICAN office. J. G. FERRIS.
21-dw

SPORTING NEWS.

Town Turf Topics.

Decatur has a considerable number of
thoroughbred race horses which are to
be put on the track this summer. Lead-
ing all the horses in the city, perhaps, is
a filly belonging to S. Peters, about 3
years of age. This animal is one of
Billet's colts, is well built, and has a
very easy motion. She makes long
reaches, and gathers herself quickly.—

These and other qualities, indicative of
speed and endurance, are strongly mark-
ed in her. She will probably make a
noted running horse, as nearly all the
colts of Billet are. The filly is now in
training under a Mr. Meeker, a noted
horseman, who resides 9 miles north
of this city. She will be ready for the
track this summer.

A. Blen's running horse, "Butcher
Boy," will not be put upon the track
this season. This horse has made the
excellent time of 1:54, and his withdrawal
from the races will give a good
chance to winning to many of the
horses over which he has triumphed for
two or three years.

TROTTERS.—
Geo. I. Higgins' black trotting stallion,
"Danville Boy," and Culp's gray
"Monarch," both horses of some note,
will be put on the track this season.—
The former has made a mile in 2:35,
while the latter's best record is about
2:40. In a race between these two trot-
ters last year "Danville Boy" came off
the winner. 19-dw

Base Ball.—Those nine boys who ran
away from the High school to play base
ball, and were suspended therefor, have
adopted the name "Runaways." Yes-
terday afternoon a match game was played
between this club and the "Ancient
Romans," recently organized. Seven
innings were played, and when the
"Romans" went out to give their oppo-
nents the last inning, the score showed
that the latter was far ahead. The "Ro-
mans" succeeded in putting two men out,
but seemed to have considerable
difficulty in getting the third. At last
they were sure that their opponents
were far ahead, and not wishing to be
beaten any worse, threw up the game, and
the score was read—54 to 24, in favor of the
"Runaways."

There was a yell from one side and a
howl from the other, and the boys were
starting for home in the best of spirits
when a slight "unpleasantness" sprung up
between two young men from the differ-
ent sides. Fortune seemed to be with the
"Runaways," for their man was suc-
cessful. He succeeded in blacking the
eye and mauling the ear of his antag-
onist without much difficulty, and
without receiving any heavy blows in
return. The "Ancient Roman" was
knocked out of time in spite of his des-
perate effort to recover himself.

Another match game between these
two clubs is to be played within a few
weeks.

We offer Great Bargains in linen
suits and suitings, which we open to-day.
19-dw

Masonic.—There will be a special
meeting of Beaumarion Commandery,
No. 9, K. T., at their Asylum, on Thurs-
day evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for
work on K. T. Degree. By order of
A. A. Murray, E. C.

Attention, Rescue Hose Co. No. 1.—
There will be a meeting at 6 o'clock
(Thursday) evening, for practice.
Every member hereby required to re-
spond to the above call. By order of
W. W. Foster, Foreman.

The Citizen's Association has procured
10,000 sheets of note paper with litho-
graph mail map of Decatur on the
back. The Secretary of the association,
B. K. Durfee, will supply our business
men and others in quantities to suit, on
application. For letter heads and ad-
vertising on our city, this should be used
by all our citizens.

Fresh Lettuce, at Shorb & Montgom-
ery's

National Poultry Association.—We
have received from Mr. J. J. Halsell a
copy of the April number of the Ameri-
can Scene and Poultry Journal, published
at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. It contains an
account of a meeting in Chicago at which
the "National Poultry Association"
was organized. Edward L. Lamb,
Esq., of Chicago, was chosen President
of the same place, Secretary.—
There is a list of twenty or more Vice
Presidents, and an Executive Committee
consisting of about the same number,
among whom we notice the name of Mr.
J. J. Halsell, of this city. A constitution
and by-laws were adopted, and a
complete and full organization effected.

A Large Lot of White Goods, con-
sisting of muslin suits, jacquots, victor-
ine lawns, and Paris lawns, just re-
ceived at S. Einstein's. 19-dw

Those Gentle Shoes on sale at V.
Barber & Co.'s are having an immense
run with the ladies. They have also
all the latest styles of goods for men's
wear direct from the best factories in
the country. Persons examining their
stock cannot fail to find what they want.
Prices are always at half-past figures.

A Card.—We wish to say to the public
that we keep constantly on hand a
full supply and great variety of TRUSSES,
BANDAGES, SUPPORTERS, &c., &c. We
have the Jones Radical-Cure Truss,
Common Sense Truss, Regular Army
Ivy Pad Truss, &c., &c.

Opening of Choice Millinery, at Miss
M. Falconer's, Thursday and Friday,
April 29th and 30th, 8 Merchant street,
up stairs.

Scarcity of Fruit Trees.—We learn
that the demand for fruit trees for spring
setting far exceeds the supply so far as
nurseries in this part of the country are
concerned. This being the case, it
will probably pay our nurseries
well to enlarge their operations and in-
crease their stock for another year.—
Nothing is more certain than that there
will be a constantly increasing demand
for fruit and shade trees in this county
for several years to come.

Ladies wishing to buy underwear will
do well to call on Goldburg.

For Rent.—A good office—being the
front room over Armstrong's drug store.
Apply to Wood & Montgomery.

April 19-dw

L. A. Drake has just been putting in
a new stock of Furniture at his old mat-
tress stand, in Priest House Block. Par-
ties can now be set up in house-furnish-
ing goods, (all new), and at very low
figures. Call in and be convinced.—
Spring beds and mattresses still a spe-
cialty. 14-dw

Lost.—Yesterday, between 12 and 1
o'clock, somewhere between my resi-
dence and the office of Warren & Dur-
fee, a lady's gold breastpin, in the shape of
a sea-shell. The pin was inclosed in a
small white box. The finder will be
suitably rewarded by leaving it at the
REPUBLICAN office. J. G. FERRIS.
21-dw

For Sale.—The undersigned offers
for sale the following valuable business
property. A brick block, consisting of
two good stores, with tenement rooms
overhead; also, two frame buildings,
well suited to business. The above
property is situated on the corner of
North Water and Corro Gordo streets,
near the crossing of the T. W. & W.
R. R., and is one of the best business
points in the city. J. G. SHEA,
At the grocery store of Shea & Fletcher,
open block. [15-dw]

Fresh Butter, at Shorb & Montgom-
ery's.

Mules for Sale.—Any persons wish-
ing to buy nice three and four year old
mules, will consult their interest by call-
ing at the Livery Stable of Caldwell
Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur,
or at this office. 15-dw

I. O. O. F. EXCURSION.

Decatur Lodge No. 65, and Celestial
Lodge No. 186, have resolved to take
part in the anniversary celebration at
Paris, Monday, April 26th. All mem-
bers and friends of the order are invited
to go. Tickets for the round trip, \$1.50,
to be procured by the committee.

The two Lodges will hold a joint
meeting on Friday evening, to perfect
arrangements.

G. W. PATTERSON, N. G., 186.
J. A. BROCKWAY, N. G., 65.
JOHN W. HARTLEY, Sec. 21-dw

For the round trip, \$2.50.
For further particulars enquire of
16-dawd A. E. KINNEY.

OYSTER RAWNS,
" STEWS,
" FRIES,
OYSTERS by the can, at
21-dw MILLER'S RESTAURANT.

Fresh Oysters, just received, all
sweet, fresh and nice, at
21-dw MILLER'S.

Corsets.—The largest stock, consist-
ing of every style, very cheap, at
19-dawd GOLDBURG'S.

NEW SPRING STYLES
OF MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS

ALSO,
MADAME FOY'S CORSET,
THE JAQUELINE CORSET,
—AND—
A Job Lot of Corsets,
23-Very Cheap, at
Apr 17-dw LINN & SCRUGGS.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best
spectacles in the city, and sells them at
a reasonable price. [sept 1-11m]

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